

STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

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MEMORANDUM

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FROM:

Michael Needel

Director, Business Services, Workforce Development

DATE:

August 22, 2017

SUBJECT:

Employee Dislocation Notification

Resolute Forest Products WARN # 20170038

Resolute Forest Products has filed an official WARN Notice with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, notifying the agency of a permanent layoff which is effective October 14, 2017. The total number of affected workers is 222. This company is located at 5020 Highway 11 South, Calhoun, Tennessee 37309. The company notified the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development's Dislocated Worker Unit on August 21, 2017.

Some of the employees at the facility are represented by a collective bargaining agreement. The Local Workforce Development Area 5 rapid response team, employed by the Southeast Tennessee Development District, has been notified to coordinate services with the employer and effected employees. The Local Workforce Development Board of area 5 will be responsible for the oversight of the continued follow up of Rapid Response and Dislocated Worker services associated with this event. If you need additional information or have questions, please contact the Dislocated Worker Unit at (615) 741-1031.

For legislative office inquiries concerning this WARN, please contact: Leanne Durm | Legislative Liaison Commissioner's Suite 220 French Landing Dr., Nashville, TN 37243 p. 615-253-1864 c. 615-426-4495 leanne.durm@tn.gov

